

AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION/MODIFICATION OF CONTRACT

			1. CONTRACT ID CODE		PAGE OF PAGES 1 2		
2. AMENDMENT/MODIFICATION NO.  01		3. EFFECTIVE DATE  11 JAN 06		4. REQUISITION/PURCHASE REQ. NO.  CB060050		5. PROJECT NO. (If applicable)  970249A	
6. ISSUED BY  <b>ARCHITECT OF THE CAPITOL</b> United States Capitol Washington, D.C. 20515				7. ADDRESS AMENDMENT/MODIFICATION TO Architect of the Capitol Procurement Division Ford House Office Building Attn: Fred Witcher Room H2-263 Bid Room Second and "D" Streets, S.W. Washington, DC 20515			
8. NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONTRACTOR (No., Street, County, State and Zip Code)				(X)	9A. AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION NO. RFP 060078		
					9B. DATED (See Item 11) 14 DEC 05		
					10A. MODIFICATION OF CONTRACT/ORDER NO.		
CODE		FACILITY CODE			10B. DATED (See Item 13)		
SUBJECT: <b>REPAIRS TO EAST FRONT BRONZE DOORS, U. S. CAPITOL BUILDING, WASHINGTON, D.C.</b>							

11. THIS ITEM ONLY APPLIES TO AMENDMENTS OF SOLICITATIONS

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The above numbered solicitation is amended as set forth in Item 14. The hour and date specified for receipt of offers is <u>XX</u> extended, is not extended.	
Offers must acknowledge receipt of this amendment prior to the hour and date specified in the solicitation or as amended, by one of the following methods:	
(a) By completing Items 8 and 15, and return <u>2</u> copies of the amendment; (b) By acknowledging receipt of this amendment in Block 12 of Page 1 of the solicitation package, giving amendment number and its date; or (c) By separate letter which includes a reference to the solicitation and amendment numbers. <b>FAILURE OF YOUR ACKNOWLEDGMENT TO BE RECEIVED AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED FOR THE RECEIPT OF OFFERS PRIOR TO THE HOUR AND DATE SPECIFIED MAY RESULT IN REJECTION OF YOUR OFFER.</b> If by virtue of this amendment you desire to change an offer already submitted, such change may be made by letter, provided the letter make reference to the solicitation and this amendment, and is received prior to the opening/receipt hour and date specified.	
12. ACCOUNTING AND APPROPRIATION DATA (If required)	

13. THIS ITEM APPLIES ONLY TO MODIFICATIONS OF CONTRACTS/ORDERS,  
IT MODIFIES THE CONTRACT/ORDER NO. AS DESCRIBED IN ITEM 14.

A. THIS CHANGE ORDER IS ISSUED PURSUANT TO: (Specify authority) THE CHANGES SET FORTH IN ITEM 14 ARE MADE IN THE CONTRACT/ORDER NO. IN ITEM 10A.			
B. THE ABOVE NUMBERED CONTRACT/ORDER IS MODIFIED TO REFLECT THE ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES (such as changes in paying office, appropriation date, etc.) SET FORTH IN ITEM 14, PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY OF FAR 43.103(b).			
C. THIS SUPPLEMENTAL AGREEMENT IS ENTERED INTO PURSUANT TO AUTHORITY OF:			
D. OTHER (Specify type of modification and authority)			
E. IMPORTANT: Contractor _____ is not, _____ is required to sign this document and return it to the issuing office.			
14. DESCRIPTION OF AMENDMENT/MODIFICATION  SEE CONTINUATION PAGE  Except as provided herein, all terms and conditions of the document referenced in Item 9A or 10A, as heretofore changed, remains unchanged and in full force and effect.			
15A. NAME AND TITLE OF SIGNER (Type or print)		16A. NAME AND TITLE OF CONTRACTING OFFICER (Type or print)	
15B. CONTRACTOR/OFFEROR  _____ (Signature of person authorized to sign)	15C. DATE SIGNED	16B. UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  By _____ (Signature of Contracting Officer)	16C. DATE SIGNED

This Amendment No. 01 is issued to the above referenced solicitation to answer contractor questions and replace pages with those that have corrections and/or changes made to them as identified by the black lines in the right margin. Please replace the following pages with those currently in the solicitation package.

Remove Pages

Solicitation, Offer, and Award, Page 1

Insert Pages/Sections/Drawings

Solicitation, Offer, and Award, Page 1

**NOTE:**

**The due date and time for receipt of offers is changed to February 8, 2006, 1:00 PM.**

**Attachments**

Solicitation, Offer, and Award, 1 pages

Contractor Question and Government Response, 2 pages

<b>SOLICITATION, OFFER, AND AWARD</b> <i>(Construction, Alteration, or Repair)</i> January 2004	1. SOLICITATION NO.	2. TYPE OF SOLICITATION	3. DATE ISSUED	PAGE OF PAGES	
	RFP 060078	_____ SEALED BID (IFB) <u>XX</u> NEGOTIATED (RFP)	14 DEC 05	1	2

IMPORTANT - The "offer" section on page 2 of 2 must be fully completed by offeror.

4. CONTRACT NO.	5. REQUISITION NOS. CB060050	6. PROJECT NO. 970249A
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9. FOR INFORMATION CALL:		B. TELEPHONE NO. (Include area code) (NO COLLECT CALLS)
A. NAME FRED WITCHER		(202) 226- 7092

**SOLICITATION**

NOTE: In sealed bid solicitations "offer" and "offeror" mean "bid" and "bidder".

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10. THE GOVERNMENT REQUIRES PERFORMANCE OF THE WORK DESCRIBED IN THESE DOCUMENTS (Title, identifying no., date):

- A PRE-BID MEETING/SITE VISIT HAS BEEN SCHEDULED FOR JANUARY 4, 2006, 10:00A.M. IN ROOM HC-7. PLEASE CONTACT MR. DON WHITE AT (202) 228-1875 FOR INFORMATION.**
- Davis Bacon Wage Determination DC030003, Modification No. 34, dated 25 Nov 05 applies.**
- Liquidated damages will be assessed in the amount of \$500.00 per day for each calendar day of delay. See the clause entitled "LIQUIDATED DAMAGES - CONSTRUCTION" (SEP 2000) in the section entitled "SUPPLEMENTARY CONDITIONS"**

11. The CONTRACTOR shall complete performance no later than December 31, 2006.

12. The CONTRACTOR must furnish any required performance, payment bonds and insurance: XX YES    NO. If YES, within 10 calendar days after award.

13. ADDITIONAL SOLICITATION REQUIREMENTS:

A. Sealed offers in original and 1 copy to perform the work required are due at the place specified in Item 8 by 1:00 p.m. local time, **February 8, 2006**. If this is a sealed bid solicitation, offers must be publicly opened at that time. Sealed envelopes containing offers shall be marked to show the offeror's name and address, the solicitation number, and the date and time offers are due.

B. An offer guarantee   X   is,    is not required.

C. All offers are subject to the (1) work requirements, and (2) other provisions and clauses incorporated in the solicitation in full text or by reference.

D. Offers providing less than 60 Calendar days for Government acceptance after the date offers are due will not be considered and will be rejected.

**Amendment 01**

**REPAIRS TO EAST FRONT BRONZE DOORS,  
U. S. CAPITOL BUILDING, WASHINGTON, D.C.**

Questions and Government Responses

1. Question: Regarding the Internal Vestibule Walls, who is responsible for the stone & brick within the vestibule walls? Some look to be unstable.

Response: The Capitol Superintendent's office. There should be no disrupted masonry that will affect the repairs of the doors, but any required masonry work will be taken care of by the Superintendent's office.

2. Question: Regarding the interior vestibule floors, is the floor area within the parameter of the exterior support system capable of carrying the weight of each door as they are removed and worked on?

Response: Yes.

3. Question: Regarding the exterior stone pavers, are the existing exterior pavers capable of carrying the weight of the doors and support system? Will 3/4" plywood panels be adequate to support them?

Response: Yes. 1" plywood should be used instead of 3/4".

4. Question: Will we have unobstructed access to the work areas from the exterior of the building?

Response: Yes.

5. Question: Will there be parking in close proximity for work vehicles?

Response: We will arrange parking for one vehicle only.

6. Question: What is the anticipated schedule for each entrance? Will we be able to start and complete each entrance without interruption? If so, do you have the dates that would be considered non workable dates?

Response: The Rotunda entrance will be the first door completed, followed by the House and Senate doors. The Rotunda entrance will be started and completed without interruption. The

House and Senate doors will need to be done around the Congressional schedule, which means one would probably be done during the August recess and the other at the year end (October) recess.

7. Question: How close is the electrical supply?

Response: A temporary panel will be set up at the work site.

8. Question: Can the bid date be extended for 30 days?

Response: The proposal due date is being extended by a maximum of fifteen days.

9. Question: Will construction be completed around the building before we start our work? We noticed that there is a lot of site work being done at the time of the site visit and we foresee problems with door jambs or building movement if this work is not completed before the start of the door renovation. The tolerances on these doors are very tight and this could cause problems if this work is not completed.

Response: No, the construction will not be completed prior to the start of the door renovation.

10. Question: Is there an estimate on days that we will not be able to work over the year?

Response: The work on the Rotunda door can start and be completed without interruption. The work on the House and Senate doors will need to be done around the Congressional schedule. One door will be done during the August 2006 recess period, and the other at the end of the year recess period (starting in October 2006).